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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Application of :
Akihiro IINO et al. :
Serial No. 09/772,628 : Group Art Unit - 2834
Filed: January 30, 2001 : Examiner - Mark O. Budd
For: PIEZOELECTRIC DRIVING :
BODY, ULTRASONIC MOTOR :
AND ELECTRONIC APPARATUS :
HAVING AN ULTRASONIC :
MOTOR : Docket No. S004-4198 (RCE)

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Washington, DC 20231

RESPONSE

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In response to the Office Action dated October 9, 2002, applicants amend their application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 8, line 19 with the following rewritten paragraph:

--In Fig. 3, the piezoelectric element 2 has, on one surface, four electrodes 3b, 3c, 3d, 3e in areas separated or divided in a grating form by connecting between center points of the mutually-parallel sides of the vibrating body 1.

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